LA Harbor International Film Festival (LAHIFF)

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Media Alert

LA Harbor International Film Festival 7th Year For New Filmmakers L.A. "On Location Project" Saturday March 17 at 12 noon

Members of Boys & Girls Clubs of San Pedro & Wilmington Invites As Guests

To Meet......



Who: 15th annual LA Harbor International Film Festival (March 15-18)

What: NewFilmmakers L.A."On Location Program" Showcase of Short Films

(USA, 2017, 26 short films, total running time 90 min)

Note: Directors/filmmakers invited for Q&A after the screening

When: Sunday, March 17th; 12 noon

Where: Warner Grand Theatre (WGT)

478 W. 6th St. (at Pacific Ave.), historic downtown San Pedro - the POLA

Why: Finalists of the community engagement program sponsored by the City of Los Angeles, KTLA, Sunset Las Palmas Studios, and L.A. City Council members Bob Blumenfield and Mitch O'Farrell. This is the seventh year NewFilmmakers L.A. (NFMLA) has been programmed in the LAHIFF.

Founded in 2007, NFMLA, under the leadership of co-founders, producer Larry Laboe and director-artistic director Susie Kim, has established itself as a strong gathering place for independent cinema with over 30,000 constituents in the Los Angeles community, screening 950+ films from over 59 countries. In addition to fostering the advancement of new filmmakers and its members in the City, NFMLA is a vital organization with on-going screenings and events through tout the year fulfilling their objective to promote the economic, educational, social, and cultural advancement of filmmaking, arts and culture in the community. Members of Boys & Girls Clubs of San Pedro and Wilmington invited to meet and speak with the filmmakers and learn more about all aspects of producing/directing/managing a film project.

For more about NFMLA see website: www.nfmla.org

Cost: NFMLA members show ID card for "courtesy" ticket;

Boys & Girls Club members from San Pedro and Wilmington Invited to Attend for FREE General Admission for film only: \$10.00; affiliates*, students, seniors, affiliates* \$8.00 *Los Angeles Maritime Museum (LAMM), Grand Vision Foundation (GVF), Hollywood Heritage(HH) Veterans and those currently serving in the military admitted FREE to all film programs subject to available seating

Tickets: www.brownpapertickets.com ~ telephone (800) 838-3006;

or WGT box office one hour prior to screening cash sales only

More: <u>www.laharborfilmfest.com</u>